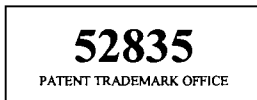


**REMARKS**

Applicants respectfully request that the preliminary amendment described herein be entered into the record prior to the calculation of fees and the examination and consideration of the above-identified application. Claims 4-7 have been amended to remove multiple dependencies. No new matter has been added. Claims 1-10 are pending. A favorable action on the merits of this application is requested.

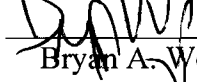
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